

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, SSG Richard S. Zolnowsky dedication to service has made him a valuable asset to this state and country; and,

Whereas, We have very few occasions to recognize these patriotic individuals for their service to this state and country; and,

Whereas, SSG Zolnowsky has devoted over 39 years of his life to the service of this state and country as a Technician, Wheel Vehicle Mechanic, Motor Sergeant, and true leader, including service in Operation Iraq Freedom and Katrina; and,

Whereas, His loyalty and leadership have made him a cornerstone in the Armed Forces of this country; and,

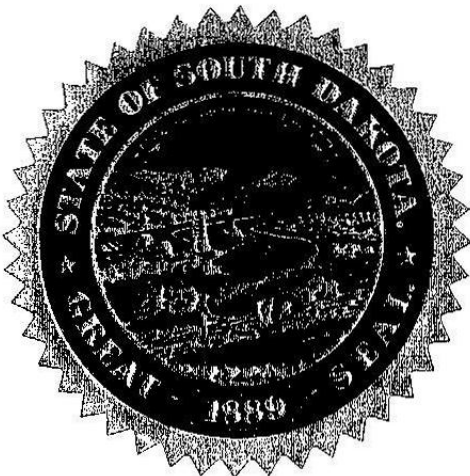
Whereas, SSG Zolnowsky continues to give of himself; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper as Governor to commend SSG Richard S. Zolnowsky for over 39 years of dedicated and outstanding service to this state and country:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim August 31, 2011, as

STAFF SERGEANT RICHARD S. ZOLNOWSKY DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with his family and friends in wishing him well in his retirement and thanking him for his service to the state of South Dakota and to the United States of America.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Sixteenth Day of August in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Eleven.

Dennis Daugaard
Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Jason M. Gant
Jason M. Gant, Secretary of State